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The past week has seen a distinct

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in the daily papers of the country of

the facts relating to the car shortage

of the three weeks previous, seems

to have had a salutary effect. Whether

it called to the attention of Vice

President Whyte a condition of which

he was not aware or what it was that

produced the change, is not known

but certain it is that the mines have

had all the cars they could load during

the week. The board of trade of

Coleman, took the matter up with

Mr. Whyte and in its receipt of a communication

from him stating that he has issued orders that the mines be

supplied with cars in preference to

all other kinds of business and guaranteeing

that there shall be no further shortage.

PROSPECTS FLATTERING

ALBERTA COAL COMPANY'S PROSPECTS PROMISE GREAT THINGS.

MUCH PROGRESS MADE

Prospecting Work Indicates Company Will Have Biggest Domestic Coal Mines in the Country—Some Immense Seams Being Opened—Will Have Several Collieries.

The prospecting work being carried out by the Alberta Coal Company on its property at Lundbreck is progressing rapidly and has now reached a point which indicates that the property will in all probability prove one of the greatest domestic coal properties in Canada.

The main work being done is the sinking of a shaft for exploration purposes which is now down 210 feet on the coal. At the 200 a crosscut was driven across the seam to determine the width which shows the one seam to be 23 feet in thickness and the coal absolutely clean from wall to wall. The shaft will be sunk to the 250 level and from there the five other known seams will be crosscut. When that is completed the permanent working plans of the company for the main colliery will be laid and in the meantime prospecting will be carried out in other directions. Among the work is a tunnel being driven on the north side of the Old Man river, the seams on that portion of the company's coal area. The second seam of the series was cut on this work last week, revealing a seam ten feet thick. Outcrops on that side of the river and some prospecting work that was done in the early days, indicate that there are two immense seams in that part of the property, one half a mile thick and the other considerably more than that. Should the property on development prove all the present indications suggest, its possibilities will be very great.

The company has a temporary hoisting plant and tipples and a small fan in operation at the shaft and is working fifty men. The grading is done for a siding and the rails will be laid in a short time. The company is also putting in a pumping plant to supply water from the Old Man river, for which a pipe line is now being laid about three quarters of a mile from the river to the shaft where a tank will be built of 50,000 gallons capacity. It is the expectation that the machinery for the permanent operating plant will be on the ground within three months and that by that time the plans for operations will have been determined and the work be under way.

Owing to the extraordinary showing the property is making, the company is considering an elaborate scheme of operating, ultimately. As the extent of the coal is so great that several collieries can be operated, it is likely that No. 2 colliery will be opened on the north side of the river and that the old railroad grade at that point which was made years before the Crow was built, will be utilized to put the coal on the hill alongside the main track. Still a third colliery will likely be opened about a mile to the south of the railroad with a spur leading to it. With the three collieries in operation it would be possible for this company to more than treble the entire output of domestic coal of Alberta of the present time.

MAKING BIG IMPROVEMENTS

Extensive and very important improvements are being carried on at Coleman in connection with the operating plant of the International Coal & Coke company. The company is driving a new entry on No. 4 seam which is to be made the main haulage way in place of the entry on No. 2. The company is also making new arrangements for disposing of its waste by building a trestle west from the tippie building. All waste will in future be hauled to the top of the

COLEMAN NEWS

The first mercantile institution in this part of the western country to be conducted on the old country co-operative plan has been established at Coleman by the miner's union. The new concern is known as the Western Canadian Co-operative Trading company. The company has bought out the Crows Nest Jobbing company and all of the remaining stock of D. J. McIntyre and is already open for business. The company is capitalized at \$20,000 with shares of a par value of \$10. The officers of the company are: president, Samuel Hall; secretary, John Notman; treasurer, John Usaworth. The directors in addition to the foregoing officers are: John Hatfield, Joseph Gratton, Patrick Kana and Erick Rosang. The company has secured the services of A. E. Hames of Vancouver as manager. Mr. Hames comes with the reputation of being a live, progressive business man who has had a wide experience in conducting a general mercantile business. Under the company's scheme of operations, any person may become a stockholder but is not permitted to purchase more than ten shares of stock or just sufficient to entitle one to a vote. Such stockholders are entitled to credit up to the amount of stock owned but must settle all accounts monthly. All others must pay cash and cash buyers are entitled to half benefits in the payment of dividends. The company starts out under auspicious circumstances and gives every promise of enjoying a substantial success.

A tame wild cat or a wild tame cat was the cause of a lot of excitement in Coleman Tuesday evening. The box at the Grand Union were present some time ago with the bob cat by Fischer Creek friends and have been putting in much time in the effort to domesticate it. Tuesday they thought they had progressed sufficiently far to warrant attempting to photograph it and Master Bob was taken out of his cage for that purpose but he did not take at all kindly to the business. He succeeded in breaking away. He crawled under a building and an amount of prodding with sticks would dislodge him. At last accounts he was still laughing at the would be captors while half the town was rubbering and wondering what would happen if he did come out.

D. J. McIntyre has closed out his general mercantile business and expects to open at Lacombe, his new location, in about a week. G. R. Gilroy will have charge of the Lacombe store and Mr. McIntyre will remain in Coleman some time to look after the affairs of the Coleman Realty company. In losing Mr. McIntyre, the store Coleman loses one of the most progressive mercantile establishments The Pass has had. It will be a matter of satisfaction to Mr. McIntyre's friends and acquaintances to know the district is not to lose him personally, at least for a considerable time.

The International company broke all shipping records one day last week when it shipped 1850 tons of coal and mined about 2,300 tons, 320 going to the coke ovens. This is the largest output for a single day any coal mine in Alberta has ever yet attained. The company is working regularly, an average of 1,900 tons a day when it has the cars.

H. M. Flak and beds returned last week from their wedding trip to the coast.

Tippie and dumped into a bin from which it will run into the electric lair and be distributed on the trestle over the bottom land to the west of the plant which will be all filled in this manner. Another work planned is the building of a big wash house on the plant of that of the Canadian-American company of Frank, large enough for the accommodation of 250 men. The building will be completed at once. The improvement being made by the C. P. R. consists of greatly enlarging the yards of the coal company by extending the empty track to the west of the tippie nearly a mile, thus affording room for sufficient empties to run the mine for more than a full day of steady discharging.

WILL BUILD A BREWERY

COMPANY FORMED TO ENGAGE IN BUSINESS AT BLAIRMORE.

IS A LOCAL CONCERN

Organized all Business Men of the District—Capitalized for \$75,000—Intend to Start at once, Erecting of Plant and Machinery to be Promptly Begun.

A joint stock company was organized in The Pass last week, the purpose of which is to engage in the brewing and malting business. The company is to be known as the Blairmore Brewing and Malting company. It is capitalized for \$75,000, having 75,000 shares of stock at a par value of \$1 each.

It is the intention of the company to build a modern brewery plant on the property of H. S. Pelletier, on the east side of Blairmore and the promoters assert that it will be the finest plant of the kind in the west.

The promoter of the enterprise is Steve Manahan, formerly proprietor of the Coleman Hotel at Coleman and the list of other organizers embraces the names of a large number of the best known business men of the district. A meeting was held at Blairmore last week at which organization was effected and the officers who are to figure in the incorporation were selected. They are: president, Steve Manahan; vice president, D. C. Drain; secretary-treasurer, H. D. Smith; manager, the Union Bank, Blairmore; directors, Messrs. Manahan, Drain and Smith and H. S. Pelletier, H. Howard P. Collins, A. V. Lang, E. Morine and Theo. McDonald. Mr. Manahan will be the manager. Mr. Manahan states that work on the construction of the plant will begin without delay and that no subscriptions of stock will be accepted until \$10,000 has been expended and that at no time will any one person be permitted to subscribe for more than 2,500 shares.

Mr. Manahan states that he is in correspondence with a gentleman who was formerly in charge of the works of the Seattle Brewing & Malting company of Seattle with a view to securing his services as superintendent both of construction of the plant and the works when in operation. The Pelletier place has been selected as the site for the brewery for the reason that a big spring on the property will supply an immense flow of the purest water, one of the great essentials in connection with the manufacture of beer. It is an ideal location for a brewery and with the strong backing already assured, the undertaking should prove a distinct success.

FINE NEW COAL SEAM CUT

The news which is the best possible news to the business community of Frank was made known Monday that the Canadian-American company had cut the west coal seam Saturday in the crockett the company has been driving the past two months with a view to opening up that seam.

The men driving the crosscut had been expecting to cut the seam any day for a week past and the seam was reached Friday evening, but was not actually cut till Saturday. It proved to be the eight foot seam. Manager Moore was looking for it and was a further satisfaction to find the seam exceedingly clean and the coal very hard and apparently of very fine quality.

The work of opening the seam started Monday. Room for turning the seam was being made at the junction and drifting crews will be put to work driving in both directions on the seam at once. It is the intention of Manager Moore to put the drifting with all possible expedition with a view to getting a considerable output from the seam within three months. Within six months the seam will make a good sized mine in itself and the output of the company will be greatly enhanced.

The sinking of the seam is progressing satisfactorily and further development in the way of crosscutting for the east seam will be started at once. The present conditions are most satisfactory and if the haulage that seems always to have been out for the Frank mine can be held in a way which will not be interfered with, another year will see the Frank mine one of the biggest and finest properties in the country.

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NEW JUDGES SUGGESTED

Among those who have been freely mentioned as likely to be appointed to district judgeships are C. H. Mitchell of Medicine Hat; Geo. B. Headwood, at present crown prosecutor at Wetaskiwin, and W. R. Winter of Calgary. Another gentleman whose elevation is more than probable is A. A. Carpenter, the well known Innis-fall lawyer.

As to the high court, rumor has little to say. It is assumed in many quarters that N. D. Beck will be the choice, but there is another interesting report about that a gentleman who occupies a high place in Alberta politics will go on the bench.—Edmonton News.

Woman Worked as Miner.

Working side by side with her husband in various Washington county coal mines, "Joe" Post was today discovered to be Mrs. Susie Post when she was taken to a hospital suffering from injuries sustained in a mine accident at Cecil says a press dispatch. The woman, according to her husband has been working with him three years. Her coarse voice and clothes, crooked hair, dressed all as to her sex, while her strength equalled that of any of her male companions. The woman's injuries were discovered to be not serious and her husband was lodged in the county jail here charged with violating the law in employing a female helper in the mine. The woman acted as Post's helper and was paid by him.

Coal Miners to Strike.

The executive board of district No. 5 United Mine Workers of America, which embraces the Pittsburg district, has authorized president Patrick Feehan to call a strike of the miners in that district, alleging that the Pittsburg Coal company has been violating the wage agreement repeatedly. Over 14,000 miners will be affected in the event of a strike.

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Frank News in Brief

Buy, your clothing of A. V. Lang.
George Cobley left Tuesday evening on a visit to Toronto. Mrs. Cobley went as far as Lethbridge where she will visit with friends.

Several fishing parties from The Pass went out to the South Fork Saturday. The catches were not good.

The Board of the Sanitarium announces that repairs to the boiler which prevented giving baths the first of the week have been made and baths are again being given.

Clifford I. Madden, son of Thomas Madden, manager of the Windsor hotel at Lundbreck was shot in the leg Tuesday evening while he and a friend named Watson were playing with a .22 calibre rifle. The boys were just "looking at" the gun when it went off accidentally. The wound is only a flesh wound and not serious. The lad is at the hospital.

The Frank baseball team trimmed Lillie again Tuesday evening on the Frank grounds, this time to the tune of 15 to 5. The Frank boys had no difficulty in solving the slants of Williams who was on the slab for Lillie while Hatfield for Frank was invincible. In the evening a dance was given at the school house for the benefit of the team but was not largely attended owing to poor management in not advertising the affair.

A full quota of railments took place in the Frank yards Tuesday. There were no less than three but none was of a very serious character. One occurred at the upper switch in the Lillie transfer where an engine hurrying to get out of the way of the passenger, jumped and blocked the transfer the better part of the day. Another was down in the slide where a car with a broken flange jumped and riced along the ties, straddle of the track quite a distance. The third was at the west end, caused by an open switch. Traffic was not delayed to any great extent.

Coleman is about to lose as a resident her most prominent citizen, the man who was at the head of things and directed affairs when the town was in the making. H. N. Galer, vice president of the International Coal & Coke company having decided to remove to Spokane to reside. Mr. Galer has purchased a beautiful home at Spokane and early in the fall will go there to make his home. He will continue in the management of the three coal mining companies of which he is the directing head and will make a trip through The Pass, visiting Coleman, Lundbreck and Lethbridge about twice a month.

A Goyette, Frank, Alberta, dealer in furniture and wall paper.

The Michel miners union will give its annual picnic on Labor Day. There will be a fine program of sports and a general all round good time.

The school board of Frank has engaged its new staff of teachers for the ensuing year. They are, Miss Minnie E. Lord, first teacher and Miss Elizabeth MacArthur, second. School opens this year, September 3d.

The regular meeting of the board of trade which should have been held Monday evening failed to materialize as none of the members turned out. Shipping back into the old run-all right.

Superintendent Erickson of the C.P.R. who was in Frank the last of the week, states that Digby & Waide who have the contract to build the new station, expect to be here shortly to start the building.

It is announced that the provincial government will institute legal proceedings against the lumber combines and has asked the British Columbia government to join in and assist in breaking up the most pernicious combine in the west.

The Maple Leaf Mining company is asking for tenders for grading the tram with which it is proposed to connect its mine with the railroad. In order to get trackway facilities, it is likely the main track of the railroad just east of Bellevue, will have to be changed and that the company will have to grade about 1500 feet of new main line for the railroad.

The Galbraith-Coff company of Lundbreck is putting in an incline to put its coal on the cars. The mine is worked by tunnel on the river level and at present the coal is hauled to the top of the hill to the railroad by team. The incline will dispense with that sort of haulage. A tippie will be built on the rail. The timbers for the plant are now on the ground and work is to start this week.

The very unusual circumstance of a coroner's jury disagreeing came very near resulting from the inquest held the last of the week to investigate the death of R. Plotky who lost his life in the Frank mine. The evidence was taken Thursday but the jury could not agree on a verdict that night and an adjournment had to be taken to Friday when a verdict satisfactory to all the jurymen was finally drafted. It recited the facts in the case as previously published and recommended the taking off of places not working to avoid a repetition of such accidents.

R. Steeves has his brick yard at Lundbreck in operation.

The C.P.R. is putting in a new siding at Lundbreck and has lumber on the ground for a new station.

It is announced that Lundbreck is to have new light and water plants to be supplied by the Breckenridge Land company.

Playgoers of the district will be delighted to know that the Juvenile Bachelors, the clever company of midgets so favorably known in The Pass, will appear at the Blairmore opera house Saturday evening. To those who have not seen them it should be enough to say that those who have will not miss the performance.

A. S. Farquharson of Lillie has undertaken a work for which he is entitled to the thanks of the fishermen of the community. He has taken up with the fisheries department, the matter of re-stocking Gold Creek with trout. Mr. Farquharson wrote Dominion Fish Commissioner E. E. Prince seeking to interest him and has received a reply stating that the suggestion cannot be acted on this year but that Mr. Prince will visit the district to investigate the subject and virtually promising that the stream will be stocked next year.

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